Honolulu, Hawaii
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RE: S.R. No. 17

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim President of the Senate Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2015 State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which was referred S.R. No. 17 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REVIEW ITS ORDINANCES REGARDING THE MINIMUM DISTANCE WITHIN WHICH VEHICLES CAN PARK FROM INTERSECTIONS AND DRIVEWAYS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to urge the City and County of Honolulu to review its ordinances regarding the minimum distance within which vehicles can park from intersections and driveways.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Transportation Services of the City and County of Honolulu.

Your Committee finds that in the City and County of Honolulu vehicles are often parked so close to an intersection as to block a driver's view of oncoming traffic. A driver's view of oncoming traffic is especially limited when large vans or trucks park close to intersections. The Revised Ordinances of Honolulu prohibit parking in front of a public or private driveway or within four feet of either side of a public or private driveway which may not be a sufficient amount of space to ensure that a vehicle exiting a driveway can see oncoming traffic. An obstructed view of oncoming traffic causes a significant safety hazard to drivers and pedestrians.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 17 and recommends its adoption.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Transportation,

CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair

The Senate Twenty-Eighth Legislature State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes Committee on Transportation TRA

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The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)					
HARIMOTO, Breene (VC)				-	
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.		V	_		
ENGLISH, J. Kalani					
ESPERO, Will					
INOUYE, Lorraine R.					
KIDANI, Michelle N.					
KOUCHI, Ronald D.					
SLOM, Sam					
TOTAL		7			2
Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature: Breene Form					
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